

MEADOW POND

Islesboro Twp., Waldo County
U.S.G.S. Islesboro Pond, Maine

Fishes

Smallmouth bass
Largemouth bass
White perch
Chain pickerel

Minnows
Golden shiner
American eel

Physical Characteristics

Area - 17 acres

Maximum depth - 15 feet

Temperatures:

Surface - 68⁰F

15 feet - 62⁰F

Principal fisheries: Largemouth bass, chain pickerel, white perch

Meadow Pond is a small shallow, weedy pond with a large population of small white perch. Regional Fishery Biologists introduced largemouth bass into Meadow Pond in 1991 and 1992 after an interest was shown by the Islesboro Fish and Game Club to establish a freshwater sport fishery on the island.

Although the habitat is better suited for largemouth bass, a smallmouth bass was caught in 1992, a possible introduction via the bait pail. The smallmouth bass population is expected to remain low, while largemouth bass should provide a good sport fishery.

Surveyed - August, 1954

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